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SUBJECT: Trip to Brazil of Representative John Jarman.

The American Embassy
TO: / RIO DE JANEIRO.

CODEL * JARMAN. Representative John Jarman (D., Okla.), a Member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, is undertaking a study mission for the Committee in Brazil. He is interested in the general economic conditions of the country, the necessity of foreign loans, and the dependence of the economy on exports, & Import-Export Bank.

Provisions of the Handbook for Congressional Foreign Travel apply. Arrange hotel reservations, meet on arrivals to expedite customs clearances, and assist as required.

Representative Jarman desires no publicity nor does he request that any press conferences be scheduled.

Mr. Jarman has been authorized to utilize local currencies in the Congressional Travel Account (19FT561) to defray official travel expenses and living costs.

His itinerary is as follows:

Aug. 6	12:00 noon	LV	Charleston, S.C.	MATS A-617
	7:30 p.m.	AR	Port of Spain	
6	9:30 p.m.	LV	Port of Spain	MATS A-617
7	10:00 a.m.	AR	Rio de Janeiro	
23	2:00 p.m.	LV	Rio de Janeiro	MATS A-618
24	12:30 midnight	AR	Port of Spain	
24	2:30 a.m.	LV	Port of Spain	MATS A-618
	8:00 a.m.	AR	Charleston, S.C.	

Representative Jarman may take a few side trips from Rio de Janeiro, so hotel reservations in Rio are requested for Aug. 7-15, and the balance of the time will be decided upon arrival.

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